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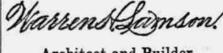
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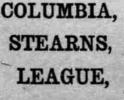
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to 8.50 to \$10, \$14 and \$15 suits reduced to \$10 and \$12. BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S SUITS, 4 to 14 years, reduced from 2.50 to 1.98, I concluded to buy in the fall and winter them. I used to generally buy in Octo-MEN'S ODD PANTS, reduced from \$2 to 1.59, 2.50 to \$2, \$3 Pants to 2.50

3.50, Pants to \$3, \$4 and 4.50 to 3.50, \$5 and 5.50 pants to \$4. \$50 per head at that time. That lasted about five years. That brings it down bound train to side track as usual. Conto 150, 2.50 pants to \$2, \$3 pants to 2.25 and 2.50, 3.50 pants to to the last 10 years. If I could leave that out I think I could balance with the in charge of the north-bound and Con-

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DOES IT PAY TO FAT CATTLE?

A PAPER READ BEFORE POHTATUCK

this time where prompt action and severe must be resorted to, I say try everything that reason and the advise of GRANGE BY WALTER H. GLOVER.] well posted tree lovers recommend. One thing. Don't scrape the trees. It The subject in hand is, is the fattening does no good, as I have so often said, and during this hot dry spell, let the old of cattle for market profitable in this locality as against dairying? As you all bark keep all the moisture it will around know, I am not a professor from Yale the body or trunk, and don't expose the bare trunk to the sun. The same apcollege, and you need not expect any high flown language. I suppose our plies to winter. An early thaw and worthy lecturer expects me to discuss warm spell that we often have, followed the fattening of cattle, as I am green at by a sharp freeze, will split the bark and dairying. At the present time I am injure more than we think. There is afraid it will be like the cow against 100 nothing for and so many reasons against "tree scraping." It is like cropping a can discuss the subject to make it profit pieces under which insects may hide, the last 20 years, and average ic. I will lard, Bridgeport. years old, for \$75, and sold them in the fall for \$300. What I propose to give is my own experience without stretching the truth. Twenty years ago I com-

TWO ENGINES TRY TO PASS ON ONE TRACK Last week Friday morning, Stepney Depot witnessed a railroad accident. It was the same old story of two engines I used to go to Buffalo in March or April trying to pass on one track, but couldn't and get a car load of cattle, 24 head, and do it, and happened in this wise. The morning train north and the morning make from \$30 to \$35 a head. I kept train south meet at Stepney every morning and as the north-bound train has the that up for five years. Then cattle commenced to come high in the spring, and right of way, it is the business of the them. I used to generally buy in Octo- and let the north-bound train go by. On last Friday morning, the north-bound ber and keep them about one year. It would not be any trouble at all to make train arrived at Stepney first and stood that out I think I could balance with the in charge of the north-bound and Condairying business. But fattening cattle ductor Fiynn and Engineer Lyman in for profit has been on the decline for the charge of the south-bound train. The last 10 years. If you buy your cattle in south-bound was perhaps a minute or MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S WHITE VESTS, \$1, \$1.25, 1.50 and \$2, White the spring of the year now, you must be two late in leaving Botsford but Conductor Flynn consulting his watch, reshrewd and smart to get \$10 a head profmarked after taking up the tickets and when near Stepney, "we'll get there on ing them, and, selling in July or August, time," and we were moving pretty fast. you can make from \$25 to \$30 a head. Why this decline? I suppose it could be Engineer Lyman, when up in the woods answered in a few words, the big fishes just before rounding the curve into Stepeat up the little ones. Yet, there are ney, applied the brakes and found they several reasons for this decline. We were in working order and the train MEN'S FIVE COTTON HOSE, assorted colors, seamless, 3 pairs for 25c, might say that cattle cost more to start came around the curve at a lively gait. used to on account of feed. The Texan into account the very slippery condition three or four years, and several other aware as to what had happened, the enor cannot keep our cattle long enough, Fortunately Engineer Bowers saw that or till they are ripe, to make up for this Engineer Lyman could not stop in time decline. Some will say, why not keep them? Now I will have to go back 10 which considerably lessened the force of years. Then we used to get as much per the blow. The passengers on the down pound for beef in Newtown any time of train were pretty well shaken up, but the year. Ten years ago this fall one of were all out of the cars in short order. told me that Newtown people might as of both of them being broken out and the well give up fattening cattle and go into cowcatchers being twisted all out of the milk business or something else. I shape. The cars were only slightly asked. why? I was told, because this Chicago dressed beef is going to run you all out. I said I guess not as long as the Hawley of Newtown. Mr Hawley, with

grass grows. I have fatted cattle since W. F. Hayes and several others, had just and got a living. I don't know how long gotten up from their seats to go out and it will last. As a general theory we get their morning papers. Mr Hawley Eastern people cannot fatten cattle on was ahead and when the crash came he grain to compete with the West, with was thrown forward and his hand went through the glass in the front window grain here worth double what it is there, and consequently do not get our cattle of the car, lacerating the fingers of his prime till fall. Now the Eastern refrig-erator companies know what time we are ready to sell our cattle and they notify not seriously hurt. This is the first acthe Western refrigerator companies, and cident that Mr Hawley has ever met with they propose to let the Eastern companies sell the beef at cost through the months of October and November, to 80 times and has traveled almost contindiscourage fattening cattle in the East. uously between New York and Newtown very little about cool footed folks I can prove this assertion by one of the but never before has he been in a smasholdest companies in Bridgeport. Last up or received injury in any way. His You wouldn't wear a fur cap November they told me they had sold wounds were temporarily dressed at A. in July or August, when they weigh journeys and new engines were tele-Chicago dressed beef. What is Chicago two hours the 9 o'clock train south dressed beef composed of in our Eastern came down and took the passengers on

nice, and kept three weeks to make them been with Engineer Lyman, for either tender. Perhaps you may think I am he miscalculated the distance and the Boys' rubber sole tennis stretching the truth when I say this. But slippery condition of the rails, or else it is a fact. I have been told by persons the brakes failed to do full duty, and he who have seen it embalmed. And for was going too fast to stop where he another instance. Take a quarter of our should have done.

NIAGARA TRIPS.

ed beef will look one-third larger than

home dressed beef, and yet it will not

SAVE THE ELMS.

Editor THE NEWTOWN BEE: Dear

the tree clear to the center or heart of

the tree. It is a well known fact that

this rot and the tree will all the sooner

blow over or split. A hole or better

The personally conducted tour of four weigh as much. Their embalming pro- days to Niagara Falls under the direccess whitens and makes it spongy and tion of the Hygeia & Recreation Tourist when exposed to the air it turns black. Co., T. E. Peck manager, will be the And in conclusion, what is the remedy event of the season in the excursion line. for the decline in our Eastern beef mar- The expense will be only \$15, which inket? Why it is simply this. That all cludes entertainment at good hotels, and the farmers and grangers go on a strike expense of visiting the sights at the great and do not eat any more Chicago dressed falls. The train will leave Tuesday, August 14. For full information consult ticket agent, and also secure copy of Tourist World. Saratoga trips leave every Monday, as usual, at 10.47.

D. C. Peck and daughter of Mt Pleas-Sir-I am glad to see the interest is ant left on the Saratoga excursion on being kept up in the saving of the elm Monday. After a sojourn there they will trees, from this terrible enemy, the visit Vermont and expect to be absent beetle. One point regarding the boring several weeks.

Newtown people were pleased to welall our large trees, of whatever kind, are come Col and Mrs Knowlton of Bridgevery prone to be hollow, or have some port to town, last week, where they will kind of heart rot. The admission of air pass the balance of the summer at their or of any foreign substance will increase residence at the head of the Street.

R. S. Gardner, the newsdealer, of Birseveral, at different heights and on op-posite sides, if two holes are bored, lar hotel, with his wife and daughter. would give free circulation four to six They have rooms at Charles Jonas'.

inches deep. I doubt the entire efficacy of sulphur alone, for my father, the late Asa H. Hawley of Hawleyville will A. C. Bullard, a well known landscape furnish cream to the Stepney creamery.

architect and horticulturist, tried sulphur for many of the enemies of deciduos trees and often told me that there was more theory than actual worth, except for some kinds of borers or insects that Mrs James N. Lake.